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Journal - Office of Legislative Counsel Page 4 Tuesday - 8 August 1972 12. Jim Woolsey, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, called and said the weekly summaries we had provided him of North Vietnamese statements about U.S. bombing of North Vietnam had been extremely useful to him in connection with his recent trip to Southeast Asia on behalf of the Committee looking into the LaVelle case. Woolsey asked if FBIS could now pull together any summaries for the first ten months of 1971 and all of 1970. I said I would check on this and let him know if there were any problems. 25X1A 13. advised us of the fact that Mr. Craig Jarrell, of the Lao Air Development Company, has been in town for meetings with Senators Jackson and Magnuson and has also talked at some length with AID representatives about the renegotiation of air contracts for Southeast Asia for the next fiscal year. 14. After further conversations with him on the subject, Mr. James Cline, House Immigration Subcommittee staff, agreed the best course for him to follow in assisting Representative Rodino on the drug situation was for him to familiarize himself with the content of the July 1972 survey and then brief the Congressman. It appears that one of the prime areas of Rodino's interest centers around the bills he has introduced requiring the termination of U.S. aid to any Southeast Asian country which is engaged in illicit drug traffic. Mr. Cline will let me know 25X1A if anything further is needed. called and advised us of his conversation today with Walter Minnick, of the White House staff, concerning General Walt's testimony before the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee next Monday. Minnick has indicated that all departments and agencies should support the Walt/Martin endeavor to



the fullest extent possible. | has sent us a copy of a package he has

received from Minnick on this.

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8. Chief Counsel, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, regarding the Ervin bill rider which the Senate has attached to the Civil Rights Commission bill. Martiny said that it was unrealistic to think Chairman Dulski or any other member of the Committee would try to assert jurisdiction over the Ervin rider, since the basic bill was strictly the responsibility of the Judiciary Committee. However, Martiny assured us that Chairman Dulski was informing Chairman Celler, of the Judiciary Committee, of his view that the Agency as well as the FBI and NSA should be completely exempt from the provisions of the Ervin rider and that he would also pass to Chairman Celler copies of letters which Dulski had received from Chairmen Mahon and Hebert of the Intelligence Subcommittees requesting an exemption for the Agency.

9. Called John Lehman, White House staff, and explained our problems with the Ervin amendment to the Civil Rights Commission bill. He seemed fully aware of the situation and suggested that I call Wally Johnson, who formerly handled problems with the House Judiciary Committee for Attorney General Mitchell and was now working on congressional relations for the White House.

Lehman went out of his way to compliment us on the material we had worked up regarding the Cooper bill (S. 2224) which would require that intelligence material be freely made available to the Congress.

Wally Johnson, Special Assistant to the President, who seemed to understand our concern over the Ervin amendment and suggested that we make a special effort to present our case to Representative Edward Hutchinson and to Tom Mooney, Associate Counsel of the Judiciary Committee. He also recommended we talk to Paul Woodard who handles such matters for the Justice Department and who formerly worked for Senator Ervin. I promised to send Johnson written material we have worked up regarding the Ervin bill.

Subcommittee, with reference to our conversation yesterday about a possible meeting between General Walt and Mr. Colby prior to Walt's testimony before the Subcommittee on the subject of illicit drug traffic in Southeast Asia. I told Martin that Mr. Colby would be glad to talk with General Walt if the General wanted to give him a call. Martin said Walt's testimony has now been scheduled for Monday morning. Since Walt will not arrive in Washington until Sunday, Martin suggested the possibility of a dinner meeting between Colby, Walt and himself Sunday afternoon. Mr. Colby has agreed to meet with the General on Sunday, but I have not made any commitments yet to Martin.

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Left with Jim Cline, on the staff of the House Immigration Subcommittee, an advance copy of the unclassified "World Opium Survey" dated July 1972 but told him that we were under strict instructions from the White House on the dissemination of this document and its contents should not be revealed prior to its release by the Cabinet Committee on the 16th of August. I suggested to Cline that under the circumstances it might be better for us to try to make available to Chairman Rodino a copy of the classified version of this Survey which was put out in February of this year and which would have to be treated as classified. Cline agreed with this approach and said he would hold the unclassified version himself for safekeeping.

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Il. Met with David Martin, on the staff of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, to clear up several outstanding items having to do with the drug situation. In the course of our conversation Martin said that at the request of the Administration, General Walt was splitting his testimony and would give his report on the drug situation in Southeast Asia either this Friday or early next week. He asked if it would be possible for someone in the Agency to speak with General Walt on the subject of alleged Agency involvement in the drug traffic so that Walt could answer any questions on this subject in a way which would be responsive to the Subcommittee and useful to the Agency. I told Martin I would take this up with Mr. Colby and be back in touch with him. See Memo for the Record.

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12. (Confidential - GLC) Met briefly with Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff. I told him that the situation with respect to (who has written to Chairman McClellan) is rather complicated, that I had our people looking into it and that I would be back in touch with him shortly. Woodruff mentioned that a meeting of the full Appropriations Committee has been scheduled for this Thursday to formalize 5X1A some of the decisions which have been made since the death of Senator Ellender.

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